



Docket No. ASA-1145

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/643,946 Confirmation No. 5406  
Applicant : S. KANNO et al.  
Filed : August 20, 2003  
Titled : TREATMENT METHOD FOR DECOMPOSING  
PERFLUOROCOMPOUND, DECOMPOSING CATALYST AND  
TREATMENT APPARATUS  
TC/A.U. : 1764  
Examiner : T.P. Duong  
Customer No.: 24956

**AMENDMENT**

**MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 23, 2006, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of  
this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**A Petition for a Three-month Extension of time and required fee accompany this paper.**